

## House Resolution No. 3476

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during his sojourn on this most precious earth; and

**Whereas**, Willard Caldwell of Thayer, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of his Ninetieth Birthday with a special celebration on June 28, 2008, at the River Bend Restaurant in Mammoth Springs, Arkansas; and

**Whereas**, on June 29, 1918, in Billmore, God brought a special gift to Tom and Ethel Caldwell with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Willard, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

**Whereas**, Willard Caldwell distinguished himself in the business world as a rural mail carrier for many years and as a farmer; and

**Whereas**, Willard Caldwell has also enjoyed recognition by serving as a volunteer at the Conservation Corp Camp; and

**Whereas**, Willard Caldwell has enjoyed many hobbies and pastimes over the years, a few of which include fishing, hunting, and reliving the past while visiting with his friends; and

**Whereas**, at the respectable age of 90, Willard Caldwell is extremely grateful for the countless blessings he has received throughout the course of his long and eventful life:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Willard Caldwell at this significant milestone and in wishing him peace and contentment as he continues to enjoy his golden years; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Missouri nonagenarian Willard Caldwell, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Mike Dethrow  
District No. 153

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,  
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 3476, adopted June 23, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker